28 U.S.C. §2253(c)(2) provides that a certificate may issue "only if the applicant has made

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a substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right." In the certificate, the court must
indicate which specific issues satisfy this showing. See 28 U.S.C. §2253(c)(3). A substantial
showing is made when the resolution of an issue of appeal is debatable among reasonable
jurists, if courts could resolve the issues differently, or if the issue deserves further
proceedings. See Slack v. McDaniel, 529 U.S. 473, 484-85 (2000). Upon review of the
record in light of the standards for granting a certificate of appealability, the Court concludes
that a certificate shall not issue as the resolution of the petition is not debatable among
reasonable jurists and does not deserve further proceedings.
Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED as follows:
(1) The Report and Recommendation (Doc. 13) is accepted and adopted.
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- (2) Petitioner's §2254 habeas petition is denied and this case is dismissed with prejudice.
- (3) A Certificate of Appealability is denied and shall not issue.

Honorable James A. Soto

United States District Judge

(4) The Clerk of the Court shall enter judgment and close the file in this case.

Dated this 23rd day of June, 2022.